



CHIEF MAGISTRATE JUDGE J RICHARD CREATURA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL LAYES A.K.A.  
MIKEY STARRETT,

Defendant.

No. CR21-5334 RJB

ORDER GRANTING EX PARTE  
MOTION FOR WITHDRAWAL AND  
FOR SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL

The Court having considered the Ex Parte/Sealed Motion for Withdrawal and Substitution of Counsel, and the documents being filed in support thereof.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Federal Public Defender, and Assistant Federal Public Defenders Heather Carroll and Greg Geist, are permitted to withdraw as defense counsel in this matter, and that new defense counsel shall be appointed to represent the defendant from the CJA panel on stand-by status.

Withdrawing counsel shall notify the CJA panel coordinator immediately of this order.

DONE this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021.

  
J. RICHARD CREATURA

CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Presented by:

s/ Heather Carroll

Assistant Federal Public Defender